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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Quick lunch at Jacobs's, 47 Main St. Music Rolls and Cases at Chapp & Jones's. The "Flash" Fountain Pens, a practical nov-

Twentieth Century health bread, cakes, pies, cookies, doughnuts, etc. Wedding cake a All goods home made, J. E. Ja

Brattleboro Private School, 83 Main St Shorthand and teachers' courses a spec

Gov. Bell has designated Friday, May 4

Road Commissioner Eames has begun working the village horses again, keeping within a short distance of the

engine house. Fred C. Adams, George E. Adams and Crosby Adams will sing the "Stein Song" at the Choral Union rehearsal next Wednesday evening.

The weather station on the pinnacle of Mt. Wantastiquet was burned Tuesday to make room for the bronze tablet in memory of the late Walter H. Childs, which will be embedded in the rock at

The trustees of the Catholic union held a meeting last week and closed up all the affairs of the organisation. There was a dividend of \$3.50 for each of the 73 members who were in good standing when the union disbanded.

The Sloyd classes have been moved from Harmony building to the Congrega-tional parsonage, the room which they occupied in Harmony building having been rented. Visitors will be welcomed to the parsonage as they have been to the room

Thirty-four logmen came to Brattlebore from the north Saturday morning, and after getting breakfast at Hall's restaurant went to Wilmington to work on the Deerfield Lumber company's big drive. Another gang numbering 53 came

The winners of the prize skates at the Centreville rink were Louis Prefountaine and Miss Ellen Larson. A dance will be held at the rink tonight. The rink will be closed day and evening Good Friday. The managers are arranging for a ball to given the Monday night following

Horton D. Walker is in Boston this week looking up electrical effects for the Band Minstrels. The display will be the finest ever seen in town. There will be a chorus rehearsal tonight. James Gilbert of Boston requests every person having a part in the coming performance to be present in the Auditorium Monday evening at 7.45 sharp.

The petition of W. D. Smith, trustee of attleboro Manufacturing company's bankrupt estate, to have the United States court order C. H. Thompson to pro-duce the company's books was scheduled to be heard before Judge H. H. Wheeler Wednesday. On account of the absence of Lawyer E. W. Gibson the matter was left open until his return.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Edwin Stacy of Feeding Hills, Mass., have issued invi-tations to the marriage of their daughter, Fannie Emerett, to Charles F. W. Cunning ham, secretary of the Young Men's Christian association of Brattleboro. The wedding will take place Tuesday, April 24, at 4 p. m. The couple will be at home at 41 Green street after June 15.

The bailiffs met Tuesday evening and closed the accounts for the past year.
They decided to recommend a tax of 40 cents on a dollar of the grand list, the same as last year. The accounts show a balance of something over \$400 on hand.
The refusal of the road commissioner to use the villege horses under the state. use the village horses under the rules laid down made a difference of about \$500 in the receipts, and the accident to the Estey steamer cost about \$600. But for these two items the bailiffs would have been able to pay two \$500 bonds.

It is evident that the maple sugar season will be a disappointment. Indeed it is already so. The season is over, practically, and while a small amount more will be brought into the market the grocers have orders from out of town on their books which it will be im possible for them to fill. A little is brought in each week, in lots of from pounds. There has been but very little first class sugar weather this season. What sugar there is, of first quality, sells from 22 to 25 cents a pound. Syrup brings \$1 to \$1.25 a gallon when there is any to sell.

Sarah A. Akeley, widow of Ebenezer Roberts, whose death took place at Leo-minster, Mass., Friday, March 30, at the age of 73 years, seven months and 26 days, was a native of this town. She leaves two brothers, Clarke B. Akeley of Brattleboro and Eil J. Akeley, and one son and four daughters to mourn her loss. Prayer was offered at 1.30 p. m. Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. F. Shields, and the funeral service was held at 2.30 in the Hawes memorial chapel in the presence of a large gathering of rela-tives and friends. Rev. W. A. Sparks officiated. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery beside her husband.

Judge H. H. Wheeler granted the peti-tion of the Atlantic Mills of Providence, R. I., Monday to prosecute to a final judg-ment its suit against the Brattleboro Manufacturing company. The suit was brought a year ago last February and the company's property was attached by Sheriff F. W. McClure. The property was delivered to James Fi Hooker and E. W. Gibson, who receipted for it, and business was continued. The company went into bankruptcy in December. The Atlantic Mills brought a petition through H. G. & F. E. Barber to prosecute the claim to determine the amount due and to fix the liability of the sheriff. The petition was opposed by E. L. Waterman, representing D. Smith, trustee.

Plans are being perfected rapidly for the observance of the 23d anniversary of the Young Men's Christian association Sunday evening, May 6, in the First Bap-tist church. Rev. L. L. Doggett, LL.D., has been secured as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Doggett is an exceptionally busy man, and only with great difficulty busy man, and only with great difficulty was he persuaded to accept the invita-tion to deliver the address. He gradua-ted from Oberlin college in 1886, Union seminary in 1889, Oberlin Theological seminary in 1890 and from Leipsic uni-versity in 1895. Since then he has been president of the International Y. M. C. A. president of the International Y. M. C. A. training school in Springfield, Mass. He is the author of several valuable association books and is eagerly sought as speaker at state, national and international Y. M. C. A. cenventions. He is a pleasing speaker and is especially interested in young men. In former years each church pulpit has been occupied by an association speaker and a special service for each man has been held at 4 service for each man has been held at 4 o'clock. This year the only service will be that of the evening, and every effort will be put forth to make this one of the strongest anniversary celebrations ever held by the association, Arthur L. May-nard, chairman of the religious work committee, has charge of the musical pro-gram. It is expected that all church choirs will unite in one large chorus. The floral decorations will be an inter-

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The Only Survivor of the Hayes Arctic Expedition, Mr. S. J. McCormick, now U. S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor, Bliss Station, Idaho, says: "For years I have suffered from severe pains in the hip joint and back bone, depriving me of all power, The cause was Stone in the Bladder and Gravel in the Kidneys. After using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Rondout, N. Y., I was completely cured."

The Ladies' Catholic Benevolent association will meet in Grand Army hall next Wednesday evening.

The village schools will open next Mon

The Modern Woodmen of America will their fourth annual masquerade in Festival hall Tuesday evening,

Practically all of the supplies for the inderground telephone system have ar-ived. The work of laying the cables will begun in a few days. A. H. Jaquith's milk wagon tipped over

Monday morning, the driver cramping too short, and from 75 to 100 quarts of milk were spilled. One window in the milk wagon was smashed.

laglies' Enterprise society meet with Mrs. N. A. Cheney on Maple street next Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Supper will be served from 5.30 to 7.20 an., a social evening will follow. Dexter S. Bond of Guilford has sold will occupy it as a summer residence. The sale was made through A. V. May's

real estate agency. Possession will be given at once. The Choral Union has engaged Edward Johnson of New York to sing at the coming May festival in the Auditorium. Mr. Johnson is a high tenor and is un-questionably the best concert tenor in he country today.

Congregational club will hold its last meeting for this season next Tuesday evening in the Brooks House. A banquet will be served at 7.45 o'clock, after which there will be a program of "old home" music by the Brattleboro male quartet. Mrs. Katherine O'Connor Weeks and Miss Helen F. Crosby.

Health Officer Henry Tucker is taking samples of milk peddled by the local dealers, in accordance with directions from the state board of health. All the dealers except Clarence Barber have furnished samples willingly. The reports thus far received are favorable, none of the samples showing tuberculosis infection.

Fish and Game Commissioner H. G. Thomas of Stowe has announced his appointments of county fish and game war-dens, A. W. J. Wilkins being again as-signed to that duty for Windham county. Harry Chase of Bennington is warden for Bennington county and W. E. Mack of West Woodstock for Windsor county.

The First Baptist church held its annual roll call Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. One person was baptized, after which the roll of the church was called by the clerk, Fred S. Knight. There were many responses, a good number of non-resident members sending brief letters. A communion service followed the roll call. On account of the afternoon service there was no evening meeting.

The most largely attended annual meet ing in the history of the Vermont Wheel club was held Tucsday evening, 75 memers being present. The largest previous ttendance was 60. The usual routine usiness was transacted and these of-cers were elected: President, M. J. Moran; vice president, Charles O. Robbins; secretary, John C. DeWitt; treasurer, John R. Ryder; board of governors, Harry R. Randall, Fletcher K. Barrows and William

The New York syndicate which has bought and paid for the shares of stock of the Brattleboro Gas Light company has also decided definitely to purchase the street railroad and is now paying the forfeit of \$1.50 per share which was put up while the preliminary negotiations were in progress. The money is being paid by Cushler Brackett at the People's National bank. On July 1 an additional payment of \$23.50 will be made on each share of street railroad stock, making a total of \$25 per share. A. N. Nesbitt, the pro-motor of the syndigate, is expected to be in Brattleboro next week.

The Brattleboro Creamery association held its annual meeting in Grange hall Monday. These officers were elected: Directors, E. H. Miller, L. J. Huntley, F. Gleason, C. E. Snow and E. H. Akley; secretary and treasurer, C. L. Stickney; auditors, H. P. Matthews and J. E. Gale. The directors elected E. H. Miller president. Following is the annual report for the year ending March 1: Pounds of cream, 716,226; pounds of butter, 168,333; pounds of butter fat, 143,561; price per utter fat, 26.08 cents; price per pound of butter, 22.58 cents; \$6126.14: total paid patrons, \$37,357.89. The price per pound of butter fat increased .75 cents. The cost of making was 3.64 as against 3.38 the year before.

The annual meeting of the First Baptist thurch was held Wednesday evening. Supper was served at 6.30, and all the tables were filled. Then followed the business meeting. The financial report, business meeting. The financial report, covering the current year's account, showed a small balance on hand. These officers were elected: Deacons for three years, Dr. H. D. Holton and Fred A. Holmes; trustee for three years, H. P. Weilman; clerk, Fred S. Knight; treasurer, Alson L. Harris; collector, E. J. Eddy; auditor, H. F. C. Todt; two womes members of the prudential committee, Mrs. L. A. Cox and Mrs. S. Wilcox. Mrs. L. K. Fuller was unable to give the historical paper which she had planned to read, being ill. There was a net gain in membership of 18 during the year, making the present membership 516.

making the present membership 510. Henry S. Miner, who died Sunday at the ome of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Kelt, In Allston, Mass., was born in Dover, this county, Feb. 20, 1820. When a young man he taught school in Dover and Marlboro and in 1842 went to Worcester to work in the hardware store of C. Foster & Co. About a year later he entered the employ of Sidney Twitchell, who operated the stage coach line between Worcester and Brattleboro. In 1850 Mr. Miner left the stage coach work to become a conducto on the Boston & Albany railroad with a run between Worcester and Boston. He married Miss Zilpha Rice of Barre, Mass., Oct. 22, 1850. She dled in 1894 and since then Mr. Miner had lived with his daugh-ter. The couple had four children, Frank Miner of Cleveland, Ohio, Charles Miner of Worcester, George Miner of Boston, and Mrs. Kelt. Mr. Miner was active in public life. Beginning in 1851 he served 16 years as selectman, assessor and over-seer of the poor in the towns of Barre, Petersham and Phillipston. He was elected to the Massachusetts legislature in 1875 and 1876. He was the warm friend of Hon. John D. Long, who was speaker of the Massachusetts House in 1876. He was of the 17th generation from Sir Henry Miner, of England, in 1346. The first of Miner, of England, in 1948. The first of the family to come to America was Thomas Miner, who came over with Gov. Winthrop in 1620, and was one of the founders of the town of Stonington.

Death of Elijah Morse.

Elijah Morse, 83, died Saturday at the home of his son, James H. Morse, at 6 Brook street, death being caused by a general brenking down due to advanced age. He was born at the Morse homestead in Newfane Jan. 23, 1823, and was the youngest son of Joshua and Sally (Phillips) Morse. He spent the first 20 years of his life there. He married Mary, daughter of James and Mary B. Charter. To them two children were born. The younger, Clara, died at the age of five years. Mr. Morse spent several years in Boston, going from there to California in 1858 to engage in business. He returned Elijah Morse, 83, died Saturday at the 1959 to engage in business. He returned in 1881 to spend his remaining years among old friends. He was confined to his home old friends. He was confined to his home for the most part the last three years of his life, but was always cheerful and had a pleasant word for all, never complaining, an example of patience. He was a lover of music, particularly the violin. He is survived by his wife and son, James H. Morse. He also leaves three grandchildren and three greatgrandchildren. Rev. George B. Lawson of the First Baptist church offered prayer at the house at 2 o'clock Monday morning. The funeral was in the Baptist church in South Newfane at 1 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Lawson officiating, and the burial was in South Newfane.

The annual meeting of the Fort Dummer Royal Arch chapter, No. 12, will be held Royal Arch chapter, Nonext Thursday evening.

A horse owned by George Witt, coupe man, broke one leg in its stall in Estey-ville Monday night. It was killed Tues-

Over 100 couples attended the Rebekah masquerade dance Wednesday evening. On April 11 there will be a wantzing party the oud Fellows' new hall,

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian church will serve a chafting-dish supper at Wells hall Tuesday evening, April 10, at 6.30 o'clock. There will be a sale of fancy articles at 4.30 in the afternoon.

Dr. H. D. Holton, secretary of the state board of health, found on investigation that the two boys in Burlington who were reported to have been polaoned by eating candy really died from pucu-

Howard & Yearly will receive at their stables Monday 22 fine general purpose horses, well broken, weighing from 1000 to 1600 pounds. They have just had a consignment of 25 acclimated horses and two carionds of new wagons.

Columbian lodge, No. \$6, A. F. & A. M., will confer the first degree next Monday evening, and it is hoped C. W. Cutier, D. D. G. M., will be present. The annual communication of Columbian lodge for the election of officers will take place. The advantage of the clean of the columbian communication of officers will take place Tuesday evening.

Brattleboro chapter, D. A. R., will be entertained by Mrs. George S. Dowley at her home Tuesday, April 10, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, The program will in-clude readings on Paul Jones by Mrs. Stickney and Mrs. Brown and vocal solos by Mrs. Francis Weeks.

Congressman Haskins, who is a mem her of the House committee on war claims, had the honor of reporting and defending to a successful passage last week the bill to reimburse the French Cable company for cables cut during the Spanish-American war. The bill pro-vided for the payment of \$77,770.

Judge Tyler has been holding the Rutland county court the last two weeks, trying some cases in which Judge Powers is disqualified—Shum vs. Rutland Rall-road company, which was ended last week by a verdict being ordered for the defendant, and Vall against the same company, which will close tomorrow. Judge Tyler will open county court at Newfane next Wednesday.

For the year ended March 31 the gross receipts of the Brattleboro post office were \$32,152.57, exceeding the receipts of the year before by \$2,854.55. The net rev eaue to the government was \$16,383.62. The amount received from sales of stamps, envelopes and cards was \$29,283.74, and from publishers, on 236,790 pounds of periodicals mailed outside the county, \$2,-367.90. The total weight of second-class atter mailed by publishers was 255,792 unds, or nearly 128 tons.

Fort Dummer Royal Arch chapter, No 12. held two special convocations Wednesday, the first in the afternoon, when the first three degrees of the chapter were conferred, and the second in the evening. when the Royal Arch degree was worked. There were four candidates from Wil-mington, in addition to three members of the chapter present from that town, and one candidate from Brattleboro. Sup-per was served at 6 o'clock. There was large attendance at the evening meet-

With a baby in her arms Mrs. Michael Fleming of Vernon street sought out Night Watchman William Warren Wed-nesday night and complained to him that her husband was drunk and was making trouble. Mr. Warren arrested Fleming and put him in the lock-up. Fleming pleaded guilty yesterday morning before Justice W. S. Newton to the charge of intoxication and was fined \$5 and coats. He took the alternative sentence of 10 days in Newfane jall and was taken to Newfane by Constable E. R. Thayer.

The Central Vermont Railway company is arranging for a new passenger train to be run each way over the West River railroad during the summer season. It will leave Brattleboro immediately after the arrival of the II.05 a.m. train from the south and will run through to South Londonderry, reaching that station about 12.30. On the return trip it will start from South Londonderry about 2 o'clock, arriving in Brattleboro so that passengers will have ample time so that passengers will have ample time

The following program was given at the meeting of Protective Grange Wed-nesday evening: Piano solo, Miss Clara E. Eames; reading. Mrs. Maverette Fisher; song, E. M. Goodenough; reading, Miss Carrie E. Stone: paper by J. E. Lawrence on the Metropolitan Water Works at Clinton, Mass., the largest eservoir in the world; recitation, Mrs. Mary Wilson; article on the parcels-post by Mrs. May Edwards, followed by remarks by George W. Pierce on the sub-ject; piano solo, Mrs. Grace Wright. The next meeting, April 18, will begin prompt-

All but four of the towns in Windham

county were represented at the meeting of road commissioners in Festival hall yesterday, at which State Highway Commissioner C. W. Gates of Franklin was present to give the benefit of his expert knowledge of road building. The character of the meeting was somewhat different than usual, there being no long address. The time was devoted to an interchange of ideas, the town road commissioners relating their experiences and bringing up specific instances on which town waste. up specific instances on which they want-ed advice. A wide variety of topics was considered, most of which are mentioned in a circular recently sent by Mr. Gates to all the road commissioners in the state. At the afternoon session a brief address was made by Senator George W. Plarce, which was listened to with interest. Many of the commissioners went home feeling that the meeting was one of the most helpful of its kind that they ever attended. The services of Sunday at the Baptist hurch will be of special interest. Rev. C. E. Van Schaick, formerly pastor at South Windham, will be consecrated to the work of missionary and colporter for the Baptist State convention and publi-cation society. He has been furnished for his work with a horse and wagon, that he may visit the back hill towns and country roads making will for and country roads, making calls from house to house distributing religious lit-erature and Bibles and holding services where possible. The wagon is constructed

The Easter sale and musicale of the Daughters of the American Revolution field Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. H. Thompson was a financial as well as social success. The pariors and hall were very tastefully decorated with flags, while a large insignia of the D. A. R. occupied a prominent place over the door. At 4 o'clock a short musical pro-R occupied a prominent place over the door. At 4 o'clock a short musical pro-gram was rendered, consisting of a group Brasor, and plano solos by Miss Arthur Brasor, and plano solos by Miss Josephine Todt and Mrs. J. E. Higley. Mrs. F. H. Holden presided over the table of fancy bags and Mrs. L. E. Holden and Mrs. W. A. Glibert sold home made candy and salted nuts. The dining room, very prettily arranged by Miss Slate and Mrs. Oare, was in continental colors, blue and buff. The table was decorated with blue and yellow hyacinths and was light.

stock, farming tools, etc., brought good prices at the auction at the Goodall farm

scheduled for tomorrow night at the Auditorium, will not be given, the engagement having been cancelled.

Mrs. 1486-Mrs. Lillian Butler, whose death is re-

corder by our Newfane correspondent, was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Butler of Brattleboro and a large part of her life was spent here. The Crosby estate will furnish Robbins Cowles's stole and the office of E.

Crosby & Co. with steel cellings in a few days. The Crosby office will be furnished with a new hard wood floor.

The fifth angual concert of the Windsor Choral association took place last evening. N. P. Coffin was the conductor and Grace Bonner Williams, soprano, and E. H. Miller, baritone, were the soloists. Washington despatches yesterday announced that patents had been issued to Charles A. Harris of Brattleboro for a brush holder and to Frederick J. Martin of Putney for draft attachment for hames.

The case against John Patterson, who was arrested Friday on the charge of stealing two bags of rubbers from J. Sava, a peddler, was not prossed by Vil-lage Attorney A. F. Schwenk Friday

The high school masquerade in Grange hall Thesday evening brought out record breaking attendance, and the were many fine contumes. Leitsinger a Dugan furnished music for dancing which continued to 12.30 o'clock.

Hearst's Boston American is conductng a voting contest for a teachers' Euro pean tour. The names of Mrs. James P. Elmer and Charlotte M. Dodge of Brat-tleboro are entered in the Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont district. G. E. Gilman's carload of horses ar-

rived last Saturday at his Elliot street stables. They prove to be a well se-lected lot with several especially good family drivers, well broken and not afraid of street cars or sutomobiles. The Henkel Brothers, who have the

y for the Cadiliac automobiles, are for the season's business and will be glad to send catalogues to prospective buyers. Walter F. Henkel, the junior member of the firm, is here to assist in the care of the business.

The April term of the Windham county court will convene at Newfane next Wednesday. Judge James M. Tyler of Brat-tieboro will preside. A special train will, leave Brattleboro for Newfane at 9.30 o'clock to carry the court officials, lawyers, witnesses and others.

The Wantastiquet Golf club house was looted during the winter. Entrance was gained by breaking the windows and nearly all of the lockers were forced open and in many cases clothing, shoes and ther articles were stolen. Crosby Adams lost a golf bag and a complete set of

The well known Dummerston farm, for-merly owned by Dr. C. H. Sholes, will be sold by auction on Saturday of next week, April 14. This is one of the most valuable and desirable farm properties in Southern Vermoot, and the sale will in-mediable attract wide attention. Particevitably attract wide attention. Partic dars are given in an advertisement in this paper.

Miss Lulu Cressy, Fred Swift of the Estey organ factory and J. M. Perry of the Carpenter organ factory will begin today to canvass the town with exchange tickets for the First Begiment band mins-trel performance which will be given in the Auditorium Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Cressy also will

John Todd, the widely-known h uyer of St. Lawrence county, New York buyer of St. Lawrence county, New York, will arrive in Brattleboro Tuesday with 15 driving horses which he personally selected during the winter, buying only when he found an exceptionally good animal. The horses will be so, by Liveryman H. R. Brown. Mr. Brown is now conducting a special sale of all is now conducting a special sale of all kinds of new carriages and a large stock of second-hand wagons.

Connecticut Valley Council, No. 16, A F. & A. M., elected these officers at its annual meeting last evening: T. I. M., Ferris R. Vaughan; D. M., Willis D. Gilson; P. C. W., James B. Randoll; treasporter, P. Frank Connors; recorder, William B. Vinton; C. of G., Charles E. Graffam; Minneapolls, who has been visiting Misser Conductors. Here B. C. Tadita. conductor, Henry F. C. Todt; marshal, William H. Vinton; steward, J. Henry Pratt; chaplain, Isaac D. Balley; sentine

The annual meeting of the Brattlebor ing. Dr. H. D. Holton was chosen president, H. B. Chamberlain secretary, Col. C. A. Miles treasurer. Committees were also elected as follows: Library room, Dr. Holton, K. Haskins, M. J. Carmody; commit-tee on librarian, G. B. Lawson, E. H. Crane, Dr. Holton; committee on books, C. A. Miles, H. R. Miles, F. K. Barrows, It was voted to place an additional \$1000 of insurance on the books in the library.

The Greenfield Recorder, in its account of the court proceedings at that place, said: 'In the case of Fanny E. Baker vs. Louisa B. Adams, which was assigned for Monday morning there was a non-sult entered. This was an action of tort brought by the plaintiff who lives in Bratbrought by the plaintin who lives it Brattleboro, against Louiss B. Adams, a resident of Putney, Vt., who owns a summer home in Bernardston. Mrs. Baker was seriously injured by falling into a cesspool on the defendant's land. William A. Davenport appeared for the plaintiff; Dana Malone for the defendant."

The Brattleboro coal dealers advanced the price of Lackawana coal 50 cents a ton Monday, on account of the strike. The price of Lehigh coal was advanced 25 cents a ton, making the price of both \$8 a ton. The advance will not be felt as it would have been had not a large majority of the users of coal secured their next winter's supply before the strike came. E. B. Barrows is unable to secure a pound from his regular sources of sup-ply, but he has obtained some from other sources, which he delivers one load to a family. If the strike is settled in a few days the price may go down during the summer, but if the strike continues there will be no decrease in the price.

where possible. The wagon is constructed especially for this work and is well equipped. In addition to supplies of books and tracts for distribution there will be a portable organ for use in services. Similar workers are already at work in three of the New England states and have accomplished great good. The outfit will be at the front of the church at the close of service Sunday so that those interested may see it. In the evening there will be several short addresses descriptive of the need and opportunity for just such missionary enterprise. An afternoon service has been arranged with the church at West Brattleboro.

The Easter sale and musicale of the Lundberg being employed by the Pullman car company. Subsequently they lived in St. Albans and Worcester, Mass., coming to Brattleboro about 30 years ago. Besides her husband, who is a well known cabinet maker in the employ of the Retey Organ company. Mrs. Lundberg leaves two children by her first marriage, James Olive of Hyde Park, Mass., and Mrs. Frank L. Burnett of Brattleboro, and two by her second marriage. Miss Frank rthur by her second marriage, Miss Emma Miss Lundberg, teacher in the Chestnut street Igley, school to Springfield, Mass, and Mrs. table Charles H. Niles of Brattleboro, also one Mrs. F. H. Holden presided over the table of fancy bags and Mrs. L. E. Holden and Mrs. W. A. Glibert sold home made candy and salted nuts. The dining room, very prettily arranged by Miss Slats and Mrs. Care, was in continental colors, blue and buff. The table was decorated with blue and yellow hyacinths and was lighted by brass candelabra, while the china used was the old blue and white. Ancient blue and white portieres added to the color scheme. Mrs. C. L. Stickney and Mrs. H. R. Brown poured and refreshments were served by Misses Margaret Barber and Ellen Sherman. BRATTLEBORO PERSONAL

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor is visiting at J. H. Blies's in Winchester. Richard A. Brown has been visiting is son, P. H. Brown, in Keene. Robert Bowle of Boston was a guest of is sister, Mrs. A. L. Billings, over Sun-

Miss Margaret Martin, of the Dana Hall chool in Wellesley, is at home for the Easter vacation. Miss Mabel Hunt and Miss Grace Whitaker went to Springfield, Mass., yes-terday to spend the day.

Percy Henley, who is attending school Worcester, has been with his parents at the Brooks House several days. Miss Mary Austin, who has been a clerk n Emerson & Son's store, now has a usition in Dunham Brothers' store.

Milton Pierce, of the University of Veroys who are home to remain over Easter Miss Adeline Warner, student in the Berkley street school of domestic science in Boston, is spending her vacation at

Charles A. McRae is confined to his nouse with grip. His store is in charge of Fred Cressy and Florence Fer-

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Brown moved last reck from High street to their new home, the former W. H. Childs place, on Green Miss M. Pauline Jenne, who is teaching n Leicester, Mass., will come to Brattle-oro today to spend a week with her

Luther Hawley, Artemas Wilkins and Fred Spencer are at home from the Wor-cester Polytechnic institute for the spring

Miss Jennie Rose, for many years emloyed in the Leonard & Roess cigar store, egan work this week as bookkeeper for C. Clark, grocer, Florence Lamson, Nellie Goodrich and

Minnie Brasor, teachers in the suburban districts of Boston, came home Friday for the Easter vacation. Arthur E. Thurber, who is now a student in the academic department at (

gate university, is planning eventually to take a course in theology. Miss Pearle E. Chency of Arlington. Mass. who has been spending a few days with her parents, will leave today to resume her school duties.

Miss Ellen Sherman returned Friday rom Hartford, Conn., where she visite her father, Clifton Sherman, managing editor of the Hartford Courant.

Amedee Lecuyer finished work in the Brooks House barber shop this week. He and Mrs. Lecuyer will go to his home in Mariboro, Mass., for a vacation. Wilfred F. Root, a member of the state board of pharmacy, went to Montpeller Tuesday to meet with the board Wednesday for the examination of applicants for

ertificates.

Fritz Wheelock of Montpeller was the guest of C. A. Tenney over Sunday. They went to New York Monday to spend the week and to attend the annual meeting of the New York alumni.

Miss Addie M. Bailey left yesterday for Washington, where she will remain with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Taylor, until they return to Brattleboro r their usual summer's stay. Walter H. Lipe of Canajoharie, N. Y.

has been in town several days arranging affairs connected with the auction at the Goodall farm, which took place Tu was accompanied by Mrs. E. K. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hall are spending

several days in town. Since their return from Florida they have been at Mr. Hall's old home in Westmoreland, in Man-chester, N. H., and Ludlow. Mr. Hall ran a skating rink at the latter place. Miss Eunice M. Bennett, who has been bookkeeper in the telephone exchange, re-turned to Keene this week. She has a similar position in the office of the shoe factory there. Miss Etta Brown, chief operator, will return to her home in Clare-

Miss Nettle E. Harris went to Green-

Harris, has gone to Hallfax. Mrs. James Dalton, who has spent the latter part of the winter with her daugh-ter, Mrs. R. E. Dodge, in New York, has gone this week to Tuscon, Arizona, where she will spend the summer with friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dodge. Mrs. Daiton makes this change of climate by advice of her physician who wishes to make sure in this way of her complete recovery from a recent attack of pneumonic.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wright, who sold their effects at auction last week, left Saturday with their three children for their new home in Alberta, Canada. The journey there will occupy three or four days. They will make their home on a tract of government land which Mr. Wright has taken up, adjoining a similar tract owned by his son. The wheat lands in Alberta are the most productive in the world, and there is a great ductive in the world, and there is a great rush of immigration into that country at the present time. Mr. Wright was a pipe maker who came here when the pipe organ industry was first established at Estey factories.

Mrs. Fremont Hamilton and Henry Whitney have been in Burlington this week to attend the annual meeting of the Vermont Ice Dealers' association. Mrs. Vermont Ice Dealers' association. Mrs. Hamilton was velected treasurer of the organization. G. W. Parmenter of Montpeller is the president. In addition to the business meeting and banquet, the members of the association held several interesting contests. The first prize in cutting cakes of ice went to E. Eddy of Rutland, whose record was 16 blocks in 2.30. G. H. Evans of Bellows Falls won the second prize, cutting 21 blocks in 5.02. A block of ice of irregular shape was brought before all present and estimates of its weight were made. Mrs. Hamilton, who is the only woman conducting an who is the only woman conducting an ice business in Vermont, guessed 123 pounds and secured the first prize, as the exact weight was 121½ pounds.

OFFER OF ARBITRATION.

Coal Miners Made It Yesterday and Operators Will Reply Next Monday.

Arbitration is proposed by the anthracite miners, whose general scale committee held another session with the representatives of the operators in New York yesterday. The idle miners ask that the conciliation board created by the strike commission act as arbitrators, with Judge George Gray of Delaware, or any person he may appoint, as chairman and umpire. If the operators agree to the plan and it is approved by a convention of miners, operations in the hard coal fields will be resumed at once. The operators do not resumed at once. The operators do not look with favor on the plan, but will give their answer to the miners next Monday. Reports from various sections of the soft coal regions show that conditions in these fields are improving. There was more coal mined in that territory yesterday coel mined in that territory yests than on any day since the strike inaugurated.

The miners went out on a strike Monday

in accordance with the plans announced last week. A large number of the owners of bituminous mines met the miners' conditions by signing the agreement of 1903, so that the work in nearly one-half of the soft coal mines was not seriously interrupted.

E. M. Holden will sell at public auction at W. H. Hoiden's, Weatherhead Hollow, Guilford, Wednesday, April 11, a large amount of personal property including horses, wagons, robes, wood, etc.

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E. O. Gowing, a business man in Philadelphia, was killet and his wife was seriously injured Suncay in an automobile accident in Haverford, Pa. The machine struck a rope stretched across the road where a building was being erected. The where a building was being erected. The rope tore the glass shield of the automomobile from its fastenings, startling Mr. Gowing, who, in manipulating the steering geer, caused the machine to swerva. It crashed into a telegraph pole and was upset, crushing its occupants. Mr. Gowing died in a few minutes. His wife is not expected to recover. 1906 SPRING MISS LULU J. SMITH

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John Toomey visited in Brattleboro this week on his way to Boston, where he is employed by the American Bell Telephone company. He has just returned from an extended trip through the West makins transmission tests. He recently talked with his sister. Miss Minnie Toomey, in the local telephone exchange, from a point 2000 miles away, which was the longest test ever made for the company.